## **US Army Corps of Engineers**

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## **Harbor Maintenance Fee Data Collection (2010)**

Status: Project Manager:

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**Purpose:** The purpose of this work is to collect domestic shipper information and U.S. foreign

cargo and trip movements required for auditing HMF collections by U.S. Customs Border and Protection (CBP), track O&M expenditures, and prepare and distribute the Annual Report to Congress on the Status of the Harbor Maintenance Trust Fund.

**Objective:** The objectives of this national statistics mission include: (1) acquiring U.S. foreign

waterborne transportation, trade cargo, and trip data and information; (2) preparing data, statistical summaries, and reports for the Corps budget process and studies, other Federal agencies and the public; and (3) preparing the Annual Report to

Congress on the Status of the HMTF.

Benefits: Benefits will include: (1) integration of CBP's new Automated Commercial Environment

import data into the current import/export data processing; (2) continued HMF data collection and analysis programs, (3) an improved CBP-Corps data communication systems to target delinquent domestic shippers for audit to increase HMF collections;

and (4) increased analysis of HMF allocation/budget analyses.

**Progress:** FY09 domestic and U.S. foreign waterborne cargo and trip data processed and

delivered by deadline for Corps budget process (3/18/2010)

**Products:** 

Related • <u>U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Navigation Data Center</u> (project web site)
Links:

Partners: • Civil Works

U.S. Customs and Border Protection